

WESTERLY FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL

Tribute to Honored Dead—Rev. Frederick C. A. Jones, Baptist Pastor, Seriously Injured in Bicycle Accident—Plans for Historical Society's Outing.

Firemen's memorial day was observed Sunday by the Westernly department. In the morning delegations from the several organizations placed floral tributes on the graves of deceased firemen in all burial places in Westernly and vicinity. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock the members of the board of engineers, the Alert Hook and Ladder company, the 30th Land Island One, the Cyclone Two, the Westernly Firemen's association and the P. S. Barber Hose company, of Pawtucket, formed in procession, as one body, and headed by the Westernly band marched to River Bend, where the customary memorial exercises were held.

There were hymnal selections by the band and addresses were made by Rev. Lyman G. Horton, D. D., pastor of Grace Methodist church, by Rev. F. Stewart Kinley, pastor of the First Baptist church in Westernly. The firemen having performed what the class as a duty in respect to the memory of departed comrades, marched back to the Central fire house, where the parade was dismissed.

Rev. Frederick C. A. Jones, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, was seriously injured while riding on his bicycle to the fire, Friday night, by being run down by another bicyclist who was riding without warning light. When near the corner of Elm and Cross streets, Rev. Mr. Jones' machine was struck with great force and he was thrown into the gutter, the back of his head striking the curbstone, inflicting a long wound. He became semi-unconscious, but after a moment he had the presence of mind to call for help, and perhaps thus escaped being run over by one of the many automobiles that were hurrying to the fire, for it is said that the people generally responded to the fire alarm which was sent in from Box 45. With the least possible delay the injured minister was conveyed to his home in Elm street, where he was attended by Dr. Frank I. Paine. Several stitches were required to close the wound in the head and attention was given to several minor cuts and bruises. The bicyclist who smashed into the Jones machine is not known, as immediately after the compact, he remounted his bicycle and hurried away without stopping to ascertain the extent of the injuries he had caused. The fire that caused all the commotion was in a shed adjoining the barn of Edwin Barber and located in the rear of his residence, in Main and Beach streets. Just what started the fire is not known, but it is believed to be the result of careless handling of matches by mischievous boys. The firemen made quick response to the fire alarm call, and prevented the fire from doing any great damage. The shed and its contents were burned, and a part of the barn charred. The loss will probably not exceed \$300, insured.

Arrangements have been completed for the procession of the one hundred and forty-seventh annual commencement exercises of Brown university, which will be under the direction of Chief Mearns, but it is believed to be the result of careless handling of matches by mischievous boys. The firemen made quick response to the fire alarm call, and prevented the fire from doing any great damage. The shed and its contents were burned, and a part of the barn charred. The loss will probably not exceed \$300, insured.

President Ethan Wilcox has completed the plans for the third annual outing of the Westernly Historical society, which will be held at Watch Hill, Sunday, June 20. The party will leave Westernly by the Groton and Stonington street railway to Watch Hill, where a visit will be made to the ancient cemetery where the first settlers of the town of Stonington are buried. At 11 o'clock the party will be taken to the Quaker meeting house, where the singing of America, followed by an address by Dr. James H. Weeks, president of the Stonington Historical and Geological society. Mrs. William D. Critchfield will sing The Land of the Pilgrims, and there will be reading of the poem, Mother-Town, which was read by Rev. Frederick Denison at the Palmer reunion of 1881. The Battle Hymn of the Republic will be sung, with Lloyd Kenneth cornet and Earl Leonard violinist. There will be basket lunch at noon.

At 1 o'clock the party will leave for Groton by trolley, arriving there at 2.30. Under the guidance of Captain Ernest E. Rogers, president of the New London Historical society and commissioner of the Fort Griswold tract, the party will visit Fort Griswold, the Groton monument, the historical interest within the reservation. After singing The Star Spangled Banner, the party will make the return trip by trolley leaving Groton at half past four.

Local Laconics.

Mr. and Mrs. Denis Driscoll of Norwich are at their Pleasant View cottage.

The Clarke defeated the Providence Independents at baseball Saturday afternoon by a score of 5 to 3.

Walter Flynn, son of Councilman and Mrs. Maurice W. Flynn, is home from the Albany Law school on vacation.

Frank S. Turnbull, of New York, has commenced the erection of a large cottage at Point, near Meadow Lane, Watch Hill.

Samuel H. Davis and Horace E. Burdick, of Westernly, have purchased land for building sites at Green Hill, from the H. L. Stillman estate.

La Verne D. Langworthy has been appointed instructor in the machine shop of the Westernly high school, to succeed Lewis G. Crater, resigned.

John Jones, who has been suffering for some time with internal trouble, that has not been diagnosed to the satisfaction of local physicians, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital, Friday.

Principal Eddy, of the North Kings-town high school, has resigned because of ill health. He will not meet with approval and this action he considers to be detrimental to the progress of the school.

Eddie Daley, age seven, son of William and Annie Mollon Daley, formerly of Westernly, died Friday in New York city. The body arrived in Westernly Sunday and was buried in St. Michael's cemetery.

The general plan to improve the coast defenses includes an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for Narragansett bay, and another million for Forts Wright, Mifflin, Terry and Mansfield at Watch Hill.

Jesse W. Stillman, son of Judge and Albert R. Stillman, received the degree of master of arts at Columbia university commencement. He will serve as research chemist at the university next year.

Carl G. Mitchell, of Westernly, is a member of the class that graduated from the East Greenwich academy and received his diploma at the commencement exercises Thursday evening. He also received a football trophy.

Lieutenant L. Frank Gavitt has leased the Shore Dinner house at Watch Hill. Mr. Gavitt was connected with Company B, Third regiment, Connecticut National Guard, disbanded soon after the close of the war with Spain.

The case of Albert B. Crafts against the Mechanics bank of Westernly, claiming \$50,000 as due for legal services, is still on trial in the superior court at Providence. Mr. Crafts has been on the witness stand for three days.

Colonel Eugene B. Pendleton returned Saturday morning from West Point, where he witnessed the graduation of his nephew, Harry McE. Pendleton, for the military academy. The graduate is son of Colonel Edwin F. Pendleton of Westernly.

There is now a more direct entrance to the bathing beach at Watch Hill, made possible by the removal of a line of bath houses from the center to the end of the group of houses. More bath houses have been added to the section of private bath houses.

There were several from Baltic at the wedding of Miss Hope Loretta Spencer of Norwood, and C. T. S. Liscomb, of Newton, Mass., at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. John E. Rose, of Baltic, played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

It is expected that every available United States flag in Westernly will be flown to the breeze today in recognition of Flag day. In the evening Westernly lodge of Elks will hold public observance in town hall according to the ritual of the Elks, together with special musical and literary exercises, including a patriotic speech by Hon. Abel P. Tanner of New London.

Conserving Force.

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JEWETT CITY

Children's Day Services in Congregational, Baptist and Methodist Churches—Norwich and Voluntary Foresters Assist Court Griswold in Memorial Exercises.

Children's day was observed in the three Protestant churches Sunday. All the churches were decorated with flowers. The programme at the Congregational church follows, the music being led by a chorus of 25 young people:

Song, Break Into Song, school; Scripture reading and prayer; recitation, Welcome, Rebecca Hewitt; song, Let the Sunshine In, Miss Clara Adams' class, with solos by Irene Stewart and Helen Mages; solo, The Church, Edward Faust; recitation, Butterfly, Aloin Eichelberg; song, All the World Belongs, school; exercise, What Would We Do, Harold Faust, William Marshall and David Ballou; song, June Is Here, chorus; song, How We Know, primary class; recitation, In Know Summer's Hours, Frank and Edith Williams; sing, The Song of the Brook, school; solo, Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star, Ruth A. Ballou; recitations, Little Bits, Benjamin Potter; song, At Our Father's Throne, school; recitation, Counting, Ellen Faust; song, Sing, Happy Birds, school; exercise, So Should I, David Hewitt, Annie and Alvin Eichelberg; song, God Is Love, school; recitation, The Garland's Song, Bernice Wolfe; song, He Is King, school; exercise, Daisy Chain, 12 girls; songs, A Perfect Day, chorus; Farewell, Sweet Children's Day.

During the service three children were baptized: Donald Young Buckingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Buckingham, Helen Julia Gear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gear, and Allen Russell Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Carpenter. The ordinance was performed by Rev. Charles A. Norbury of Norwich. Each baby received a mass rosebud, Miss Ruth Ballou presenting them. According to the terms of the bequest of E. L. Reade Bibles were presented Irene Stewart, Ruth Ballou, Alvin Eichelberg and Ellen Faust. The collection was received by Beatrice Alley, Bertha Eichelberg, Bernice Wolfe and Mabel Kanahan. Canary birds sang with the children at this service. The committee in charge were, Miss E. H. Hiscoc, Mrs. F. E. Robinson and Mrs. F. E. Williams. Miss Carol Bliss in charge of the decorations.

Baptist Church.

The service at the Baptist church was announced by Supt. A. M. Brown and was arranged by Miss Emma Gardner, Mrs. G. E. Prior and Mrs. C. P. Gardner. Mrs. E. E. Wilcox in charge of the decorations. Their programme follows:

Songs by choir and congregation; Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. Allan Spidel; recitations, Welcome, Dorothy Wilcox; Hearts and Singing, A. G. Brewster; exercise, Give a Little Sunshine, by Ruth King, Edith Shorrook and song by primary department; recitation, Bird's Message, Gertrude Wilbur; exercise, The Garden, Violet Harris, Bessie Wilbur, Minnie and Elsie Shorrook; recitation, Come Our Where the Sun Is Shining, Albert Franklin; song, Daisies, Kathleen Dearnley; recitation, Shades of Evening, Maud Kanahan; recitation, A Summer Day, John Harris; exercise, Children and Flowers, by Beatrice Alley; Cathart, Emma Dearnley and Esther Wilcox; song, Fairest Lord Jesus, junior department; recitation, Cheer Up, Edith Spidel; recitation, June, Morton Brown; exercise, Little Beginners, Rose Crumb, Ellen Prior, Nora Haddad, Bessie Shorrook and Minnie Lyndall; song, Little Blossoms, Marguerite Spidel; recitation, June Roses, Willie Franklin; recitations, To a Buttercup, Vera McBroom; Little Haddad; James Haddad; song, Consider the Lilies, junior department; recitation, While Upwards We March to the King, Fanny Morgan; recitation, Two Timber Blades, Nettie Haddad; recitation, A Criticizing Seed, Bessie Jenkins; recitation, God Bless You, Flora Littlefield; remarks by the pastor.

Methodist Church.

Mrs. R. W. Robertson, Mrs. William McCluggage, Miss Bessie McCluggage, and Miss Annie Robertson were in charge of the program at the Methodist church which was announced by Supt. A. C. Burdick and was as follows:

Song by the choir while the children march; Welcome, Christine Burdick; recitation, A Wonderful Helper, by Mildred McCluggage; recitation, Why We Bring Flowers, James Hewitt; exercise, Like the Sunshine, by Gertrude Wilbur; exercise, The Garden, Violet Harris; recitations, A Little Helper, Hattie Fields; On Children's Day, Alice Smith; The Roses Are So Sweet, Arlene Burdick; exercise, In Him for the Conqueror, by four children; recitation, Whisper, by Everett McCluggage; singing by the choir; recitation, A Gift, Irene Robertson; exercise, seven girls; recitations, So Should I, Harriet McCluggage; Work for All, Everett Thornton; The First Children's Day, Fornetta Robertson; exercise, Isabella and Ruth Robertson; recitations, Our Gift for Children's Day, Worris Carpenter; Little Bits, Thomas Hewitt; recitation, God Bless Our Day, Theodore Davis; remarks by the pastor. Collections by four little girls. Singing by the choir. The decorating was done by the men's class.

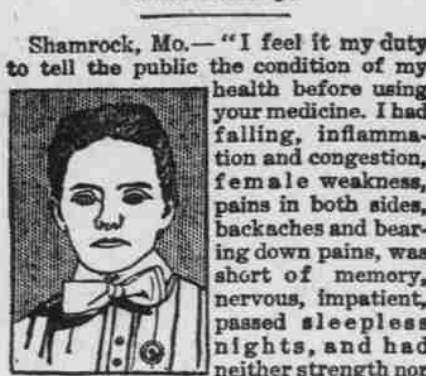
FORESTERS' MEMORIAL SUNDAY.

Members from Norwich and Voluntary Assist.

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PLAINFIELD

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graves of their deceased members. There were 60 members of the order present from Norwich and Voluntary. The services were held in their hall in the Finn block, where the order was addressed by George Wright of Hartford along the line of the benefits of the order, and of its pleasing memorial system. Miss Jennie Coyle sang two selections in an effective and sympathetic manner. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret and Willie Driscoll.

The procession, headed by the Voluntary band, proceeded to St. Mary's and Jewett City cemeteries where the graves of the following members received fitting memorial and decoration: Daniel Donnelly, Patrick Farrell, Michael O'Mara, P. H. Farbridge, Thomas Grady, Jerry Morey, John Clark, John Bray, Louis LaLiberte, Joseph Hero.

There were 124 in line from the local and the two visiting orders.

then he quit. At the school house Alexander and Phillip stopped. The remainder of the runners ran nip and tuck with Lemott. Kay and Royle just behind McCluggage who had held the lead from the start to the post office. At the post office hill Lemott jumped into the lead and McCluggage was forced back to fifth place. Royle, Kay, Burbee and Lamott leading him. As the runners neared the old village Royle took Lemott from Lamott but lost it again just as they entered the field. It was necessary to run one lap around the ball field to complete the course. When the last lap started Lamott led Royle by a few feet. Kay and Burbee were right at their heels. The final spurt began and Royle gradually cut down Lemott's lead finally with one last spurt he passed him just

at the finish. Lemott finished second. A spurt by Kay pulled him past Burbee for third position. McCluggage finished fifth. The time was 12m. 20 sec.

The mile run proved a surprise when James Palliser, a 12-year-old youth, starting from a 220-yard handicap, not only won his race but lapped the scratch man. Tom Hargraves finished second.

In the 100-yard dash the handicap given Alexander and McCluggage proved too much for scratch man Moreland.

The 150-yard dash went to McCluggage with Joe Houle second. In the boys race Vincent was in a class by himself. W. Alexander finished second, yards behind.

The day's sports ended with a basketball game in which the old village defeated the new by a 3-2 score. The Plainfield Lions lost to Jewett City Sunday by a 5-1 score. Ballard pitched for the Lions.

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